OCT 0 5 2005 IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Attorney Docket No.: HASLP004, In re application of: Armitage, et al. HL52257/002/GW/eg Application No.: 09/673,074 Examiner: FAY, ZOHREH A Filed: February 26, 2001 Group: 1614 Title: OCULAR IRRIGATING SOLUTION CERTIFICATE OF MAILING I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as first-class mail on October 3, 2005 in an envelope addressed to pr Patents, Mail Stop RCE, P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313the Commissioner Signed Tara Hayden REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) (3<sup>\(\)</sup> CFR §1.114)

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) of the above-identified application.

DEW #

## 1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114:

a.		Previously submitted
	i.	Consider the amendment/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on
		(Any unentered amendment referred to above will be entered.)
	ii.	Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on
	iii.	Other
b.	$\boxtimes$	Enclosed
	i.	Amendment/Reply
	ii.	Affidavit/Declaration
	iii.	Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449
		Copies of IDS Citations
	iv.	Other .

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2. **Fees**: (The RCE fee is required at the time the RCE is filed.)

Fee Calculation (37 CFR §1.16)

Fee for Request for Continued Examination Under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e)	\$790 =	790.00
	TOTAL	790.00
SMALL ENTITY 50% FILING FEE REDUCTION (if applicable)		395.00

a. Applicant hereby petitions for a one month extension of time.
b. Applicant believes that no (additional) extension of time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant hereby petitions that such an extension is required to a place of the property of the required force for an extension.

extension be granted and authorizes the Director to charge the required fees for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.

- c. Enclosed is our Check No. 11121 in the amount of \$455.00 to cover the RCE fee, extension of time and additional fees.
- d. The Director is authorized to charge any fees beyond the amount enclosed which may be required, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. HASLP004)
- 3. Please continue to send correspondence to the following address:

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Date: October 3, 2005

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